(c) if so, the revised target; and

(d) how much of the target has been achieved during the first three quarters of the financial year 1999-2000.

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING AND MINISTER OF STATE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DISINVESTMENT (SHRI ARUN JAITLEY): (a) Rs. 10,000 Crores.

(b) No Sir.

(c) Does not arise.

(d) An amount of Rs. 1585 Crores has been raised up to 31-1-2000.

PSUs not ready for Disinvestment

1107. SHRI ANANTRAY DEVSHANKER DAVE: Will the Minister of DISINVESTMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that some Public Sector Undertakings were not ready for disinvestment;

(b) whether it is also a fact that some of them have not passed the resolution in their Board of Directors meeting; and

(c) if so, the reasons for their inclusion in disinvestment list?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING AND MINISTER OF STATE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DISINVESTMENT (SHRI ARUN JAITLEY): (a) and (b) The decision to disinvest the equity holding of the Government in any company, is taken by the Government and not by the Board of Directors of the Company.

(c) The disinvestment of Government equity in various companies is decided by the Government in accordance with the declared policy on disinvestment.

Review of Disinvestment Proposal

1108. SHRI BRATIN SEN GUPTA: Will the Minister of DISIN- VESTMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether any new Disinvestment proposal is being considered by Government; and

(b) whether Government have reviewed any of the Disinvestment proposal it has floated earlier?